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From: Chief of Naval Operations
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Subj: CHANGE TO THE ORGANIZATION OF THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF
NAVAL OPERATIONS (OPNAV)

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5430.48D (OPNAV Organization Manual)

Encl: (1) OPNAV Organization Chart

1. Purpose. To announce an alignment of the OPNAV staff.
2. Background. In August 2000, the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) announced an alignment of the OPNAV staff in order to better define and meet Navy requirements. The alignment achieves the following:
 - a. Establishes a strong advocate for fleet readiness.
 - b. Separates requirements from resources to generate beneficial friction in the Planning, Programming and Budgeting System (PPBS) Process.
 - c. Establishes increased visibility for warfare programs and requirements.
 - d. Improves focus on training integration of Navy requirements.
 - e. Establishes an OPNAV organization with a Navy-wide corporate perspective to provide independent analysis and advice to CNO/VCNO.
3. Organization Changes. The following alignment of the OPNAV staff, shown in enclosure (1), is effective 1 October 2000:

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a. Director of Naval Training, N7, is retitled Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Warfare Requirements and Programs). N7's mission is: to act as warfare requirement sponsor and serve as Resource Sponsor for the following warfare areas: submarine warfare, surface warfare, air warfare, anti-submarine warfare, amphibious warfare, and mine warfare; to integrate and program Battle Force Capabilities across all warfare areas and platforms; and to exercise overall policy, direction, control, and management of naval training and education. N7 is comprised of the following divisions:

- (1) N70, Warfare Integration Division
- (2) N74, Anti-submarine Warfare Division (formerly N84);
- (3) N75, Expeditionary Warfare Division (formerly N85);
- (4) N76, Surface Warfare Division (formerly N86);
- (5) N77, Submarine Warfare Division (formerly N87);
- (6) N78, Air Warfare Division (formerly N88); and
- (7) N79, Naval Training and Education Division (formerly N7).

N7, Director of Naval Training; N84; N85; N86; N87; and N88 will be disestablished. Additionally, the Chief of Naval Education and Training will no longer be additional duty to the OPNAV staff.

b. Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Resources, Warfare Requirements and Assessments), N8, is retitled Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Resources, Requirements and Assessments). N8's mission is: to exercise centralized supervision and coordination for allocation of resources, program planning, program information and study efforts; to ensure integration of planning, programming, budgeting, and assessments within OPNAV and the management echelons subordinate to CNO; to validate requirements across all missions and platforms; to review, track, and evaluate actions assigned by CNO/Vice CNO (VCNO) or through one of the decision processes such as CNO Executive Board (CEB), Navy Requirements Oversight Council (NROC), or

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PPBS-related activities. N8 is comprised of the following divisions:

- (1) N80, Programming Division;
- (2) N81, Assessment Division;
- (3) N82, Fiscal Management Division;
- (4) N83, Requirements Validation and CINC Liaison Division;
- (5) N89, Special Programs Division;


c. Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics) (N4) is retitled Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Readiness and Logistics) (N4). N4's mission is to support and advocate warfighter readiness to meet the needs of the warfighter with a cohesive overarching strategy that: (1) plans and sets fleet readiness and logistics requirements; (2) aligns resources within sponsored programs; (3) ensures the continuous design, development and integration of Naval Logistics functions to ensure fleet readiness; (4) develops and coordinates Navy Logistics policy; and (5) ensures compliance with policy and effective utilization of resources to meet requirements. N4's fleet readiness mission will be carried out by N43 which will be retitled Fleet Readiness Division. Shore readiness will be performed by N46 which will be retitled Ashore Readiness Division. The rest of N4 organization will remain as currently structured.

d. Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Missile Defense) (ACNO (MD)), N00M, is established. N00M's mission is: to ensure the Navy reaches its full potential in ballistic and cruise missile defense; to be the OPNAV coordinator for deploying a multi-layered Navy capability that meets the joint warfare commander's requirements; to encourage international cooperation; and to deter and defeat missile attacks against U.S. forces and interests. The ACNO (MD) reports directly to the CNO and is an OPNAV Principal Official.

4. Action. OPNAV Principal Officials (OPOs) identified in paragraph 3 will submit organization information to Director, Navy Staff (N09B), for incorporation into reference (a).

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5. Cancellation Contingency. When contents are incorporated into reference (a).



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